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IN REAL-TIME SCHEDULING

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated August 31, 2009, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows. A Petition for Extension of Time extending the time for response by three months to February 28, 2010, is filed concurrently herewith.

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